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December 18, 2001

Mr. Vernon Williams Secretary Surface Transportation Board 1925 K Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20423-0001

Termination of Locomotive Lease Agreement dated November Financial Corporation ("Lease Termination").

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Dear Mr. Williams:

On behalf of Helm Financial Corporation, I submit for filing and recording, under 49 U.S.C. Section 11303(a) and the regulations promulgated thereunder the following document:

fully-executed originals of the above-referenced Lease Termination.

In connection with the recording of the Lease Termination, please note the following information:

Name and Address of Lessor:

Helm Financial Corporation One Embarcadero Center, Suite 3700 San Francisco, CA 94111

Name and Address of Lessee:

Motive Power Industries (as successor in interest

to MK Rail Corporation) 1200 Reedsdale Street Pittsburgh, PA 15233

Equipment:

1 SD45M Locomotive - URC 9012 1 F45 Locomotive - URC 9013

Please record this Lease Termination as a supplemental agreement to STB Recordation No. 20159 filed on June 27, 1996. The filing fee of \$28,00 is included in our enclosed Check No. 47552in the amount of \$308.00.

Summary: Termination of Locomotive Lease Agreement dated November 20, 2001 by Helm Financial Corporation for 2 locomotives, URC 9012 and 9013, to be filed as a supplemental agreement. Please file this Lease Termination as a supplemental agreement to STB Recordation No. 20159.

Youns truly,

Sharon L. Van Fossan

Supervisor Contract Administration

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Enclosures (2)

RECORDATION NO. 20159-A

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TERMINATION OF LEASE

THIS TERMINATION OF LOCOMOTIVE LEASE AGREEMENT ("Termination") is dated as of November 20, 2001, by HELM FINANCIAL CORPORATION, a California corporation ("Lessor").

Recitals. Lessor entered into the Locomotive Lease Agreement dated 1. as of May 1, 1996 ("Lease"), with MotivePower Industries (as successor in interest to MK Rail Corporation), a Delaware corporation, with respect to the two (2) locomotives described in Schedule A attached hereto. The Lease is on file at the Surface Transportation Board of the Department of Transportation ("STB") under STB Recordation Number 20159 filed on June 27, 1996.

The Lease was terminated on July 31, 2001. The purpose of this Termination of Lease is to provide a formal termination document for filing with the STB.

Termination. The Lease is hereby formally terminated. 2.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Lessor, pursuant to due corporate authority, has caused this Termination of Lease to be signed in its corporate name as of the date first above written.

HELM FINANCIAL CORPORATION

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Barbara W. Wilson VName:

Title: Senior Vice President & CFO

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA)

COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO)

On November 20th, 2001, before me, J. L. Pat Taft, personally appeared Barbara W. Wilson, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of HELM FINANCIAL CORPORATION,

X personally known to me -OR-

___ proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence

to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/all subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that be/she/they executed the same in hys/her/their authorized capacity(iss), and that by bis/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

J. L. PAT TAFT
Comm. # 1229000
NOTARY PUBLIC - CALIFORNIA
City & County of San Francisco
My Comm. Expires July 16, 2003

Witness my hand and official seal.

SIGNATURE OF THE NOTARY

SCHEDULE A

To the Termination of Locomotive Lease Agreement dated November 20, 2001

Equipment Description	<u>Unit Number</u>
One (1) SD45M Locomotive	URC 9012
One (1) F45 Locomotive	URC 9013